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U.S. Department of Transportation
Docket Management System
1200 New Jersey Ave., SE
Washington, D.C. 20590

Re: Amendment to Exemption 17790A (Regulatory Docket No. FAA-2017-0271)

To Whom it may Concern:

Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A., hereby requests an amendment to its current Exemption to extend our Exemption and COA for the Yamaha FAZER Unmanned Aircraft System. Our current Exemption was originally issued effective March 16, 2018, amended February 21st 2020, and is scheduled to terminate on February 28th, 2022. We wish to extend our Exemption beyond the current expiration date so we can continue commercial operations.

Our planned operations and purpose remain unchanged and are the same as described in our original petition for the Yamaha RMAX Type II G (dated June 13, 2014). Upon being granted our original exemption in 2015 (Docket No. FAA-2014-0397), Yamaha has also been granted a Part 137 Certificate and has been conducting Aerial Application services in California.

At this time the FAA does not have rules that pertain to Unmanned Aerial Systems above 55 pounds; as a result we would like to extend our exemption so that we may continue operating the Yamaha FAZER in the United States. We would like an exemption from the following areas: Part 21, Part 27, §§ 45.23(b); 61.3(a)(1)(i); 91.7(a); 91.119(c); 91.121; 91.151(b); 91.405(a); 91.407(a)(1); 91.409(a)(2); 91.417(a) & (b); 137.19(c) and (d); 137.19(e) (2) (ii) (iii) & (v); 137.31(a) & (b); 137.33(a) and (b); 137.41 (c); and 137.42 of Title 14, Code of Federal Regulations (14 CFR).

I. Name and Address of Petitioner

The name and address of the Petitioner is:

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If you have any questions regarding this amendment, or require any additional information to process this Petition, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Brad Anderson', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Brad Anderson
Unmanned Systems Division Manager
Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A,